

## Message Text

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ACTION EB-08

INFO OCT-01 ARA-06 EUR-12 IO-13 ISO-00 STR-04 ITC-01

AGRE-00 AID-05 CIAE-00 COME-00 FRB-03 INR-07

NSAE-00 USIA-06 TRSE-00 XMB-02 OPIC-03 SP-02

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H-01 PA-01 PRS-01 /106 W

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FM AMEMBASSY BRASILIA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 1092

INFO AMEMBASSY LONDON

AMEMBASSY SAO JOSE

USMISSION GENEVA

AMCONSUL RIO DE JANEIRO

AMCONSUL SAO PAULO

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: AGR ETRD BR

SUBJECT: SUGAR: STR SCCN ISA AND BRAZIL

REF: (A) STATE 68744 (B) STATE 65705 (C) SAN JOSE 932

1. EMBOFF CONTACTED FONMIN OFFICIAL IN CHARGE OF SUGAR MATTERS RE: STR NOTIFICATION THAT INTERESTED PARTIES COULD SUBMIT BRIEFS FOR ITC CONSIDERATION OF SUGAR CASE (REF B). OFFICIAL STATED THAT BRAZIL WAS NOT INTERESTED IN SUBMITTING A BRIEF AT THIS TIME, BUT NOTED THAT BRAZIL'S SUGAR AND ALCOHOL INSTITUTE (IAA) HAD MADE A DEPOSITION DURING ORIGINAL ITC HEARINGS AND THAT HE FELT THAT BRAZIL'S POSITION WAS ADEQUATELY PRESENTED IN SCCN LATIN AMERICAN/CARIBBEAN CONSENSUS STATEMENT (REF A).

2. FONMIN OFFICIAL IN CHARGE OF BASIC PRODUCTS

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DIVISION INFORMALLY EXPRESSED TO EMBOFF HIS OPINION THAT 15 CENTS/LB. FLOOR PRICE FOR SUGAR WAS UN-REALISTICALLY HIGH (REF C). THIS CONTRASTS WITH LATER PRESS STATEMENTS ATTRIBUTED TO IAA OFFICIALS THAT BRAZIL WOULD DEMAND A 15 CENTS/LB. MINIMUM SUGAR PRICE IN THE ISA NEGOTIATIONS AND WOULD NOT SIGN A NEW ISA THAT DID NOT CONTAIN THIS MINIMUM

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